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BURGESS REFUSES TO SIGN PAVING CONTRACT

Award to Highest Bidder Meets With Woodward's Veto

PETITION IS FILED

Tenth Street Property Owners Protest to Recent Action of Council

Burgess S. L. Woodward has vetoed the councilmanic award of a Tenth street paving contract to Hastings & Piper, the highest bidders. Also a formal protest to the contract has been filed with the borough clerk for presentation to council by property owners of Tenth street. Council has taken no action yet toward arranging a special meeting to consider the affairs pertaining to the contract and veto.

Burgess Woodward was asked for a statement. He said: "I consider Thomas Arrigo a responsible bidder and he was the lowest bidder for this paving. At the same meeting of council he was awarded the contract for the erection of a wall on Blythe alley because he was the lowest responsible bidder. I believe that I am doing my duty in refusing to sign this contract, as my understanding is that paving contracts should go to the lowest responsible bidder."

Councilman J. K. Mitchell states that he did not vote in favor of awarding the contract to Hastings and Piper. He says he did not vote either for or against the contract.

President D. R. Duvall of council, has been notified of the action taken by Burgess Woodward. What action will follow is not known.

LECTURE TONIGHT FIRST ATTRACTION

Montaville Flowers, the first lecturer of the Charleroi Citizens' entertainment course for the season of 1914 and 1915, will give one of his celebrated life lectures with illustrated acting, in the high school auditorium this evening. The lecture will begin at 8 o'clock.

Mr. Flowers has a number of life lectures with illustrated acting which he gives. It is not known which one he will give here this evening, but which ever one he decides upon will be entertaining and an intellectual treat to his audience. Mr. Flowers presents the essential parts of the play with the art of a master, and explains and interprets each character and situation in the play.

Mr. Flowers has been endorsed by many of the best speakers and writers of the present time. Everywhere he has gone he has been followed by favorable comment from the press. He presents each of his plays in a clear and forceful manner.

W. H. Riggle

Saw dentist Old teeth repaired and new ones made to order. Leave saws at Grant's Hardware store.

Ready Now to Move School

Fallowfield Township Board to Receive Bids For Shifting Building

The Fallowfield school board today made preparations for having the Rodgers school building moved from its present location along Maple creek road, where it is asserted school has been hampered by reckless automobile. The school will be moved from its present location about 300 feet distant across the tracks of the Westside Electric Railway company. Bids for the work of moving the temple of learning are now being asked. The movement to have the school building shifted was started by parents, who feared for the safety of their children.

TELLS SOMETHING OF MT. CLEMENS

Charleroi Man on Trip There Finds Smelly Water and Gets Pounded

SAYS ITS ALLRIGHT

To the Editor of the Charleroi Mail: Situated twenty miles north of Detroit and close to the shores of Lake St. Clair is this town of Mount Clemens. The name was probably given because there is no mountain nearer than a thousand miles, for the whole of eastern Michigan is so level that the streams take their own time in getting to the Great Lakes.

The one great specialty at Mount Clemens is "rheumatism." Most people here walk with a limp, if they are able to walk at all, and wheel chairs are more popular than automobiles. They have a saying here that if you do not have rheumatism when you come you will get it before you go, but one is supposed to have it when he comes, stay three weeks and go home rejoicing. After that he comes every year, not because there is anything at all the matter but simply out of gratitude.

It was the baths that put this town on the map. They have ten bath houses, but the Lord only knows how many hotels. They pump up a dark sulphurous-smelling liquid from somewhere down in the depths. You get into a tubful of that water and an attendant rubs you. If you have a joint that does not readily bend the attendant makes it bend and tells you it does not hurt. He means that it does not hurt him. Then he plays a tune on your back and ends his contortions by pouring a pitcher of boiling water over you. He protests that it is not boiling, but you know better and resolve to thrash him as soon as you are able.

The most striking thing about this

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GETS LONG TERM FOR MALICIOUS SHOOTING

John Macanck Sent to Prison for Firing Bullet Into Body of Andy Markleyski--Will Not Be Free For One Year

John Macanck, of Charleroi, who last night went to his home on Eighth street and procured a revolver. He argument on McKean avenue near then went to the Russian hall at Eleventh street Saturday night October 10, was before the circuit court Monday. He was sentenced by the court to pay a fine of \$1, to pay the costs and to undergo imprisonment in the workhouse for one year.

Macanck started trouble early in the evening of the shooting at Fifth street. He escaped arrest there and a little later was engaged in a fight at Sixth street. Again escaping at

About 11:30 o'clock Macanck and Merglevski met near the hall on McKean avenue, after a few words were exchanged, Macanck drew his revolver and fired. The bullet passed through Merglevski's left arm and embedded itself in his left side. He has about recovered.

HOSPITAL AUXILIARY TO HOLD RECEPTION

MUSICAL AUXILIARY HAS GOOD PROGRAM

The Monessen Ladies Auxiliary of the Charleroi-Monessen hospital is planning to hold a linen shower and reception at the hospital on Friday afternoon from 2 to 4 o'clock. At the same time a special effort will be made to procure sufficient linen for the hospital. Sheets of the size 72 by 90, pillow slips 24 by 36 and mile cotton toweling 27 inches wide are especially desired, although those who wished are privileged and asked to bring odd pieces. Refreshments will be served. Mrs. J. J. Cushing is president of the Monessen Auxiliary.

GENTLEMEN OF COLOR BATTLE

Monday evening at 9:15 o'clock Walter Smith colored was arrested by the police while fighting with E. H. Irvin, colored proprietor of the colored pool room on McKean avenue. It seems that Irvin spoke to Smith when he broke some of the rules of the room and Smith resented it. Smith struck Irvin two or three times with a cue. One of the police men was near and placed Smith under arrest. Smith was given a hearing before Burgess S. L. Woodward this morning and fined \$1 and costs.

WAGON DAMAGED WHEN HIT BY CAR

When the repair car of the Charleroi-Pittsburg railways line jumped the track at the south end of the Fifth street switch Monday afternoon at 2:50 o'clock, Andy Roska, who was driving a one-horse wagon past the Casino restaurant, had a narrow escape.

The rear truck twisted under the car and carried it over toward the curb. The back part of the wagon was caught between the car and a telephone pole. Young Roska was sitting in the wagon driving when the car struck the wagon. The horse was not frightened and stopped at once. The car was re-placed on the track within 17 minutes. Traffic was not interrupted. The horse and wagon are the property of Andrew Wagoner of Shady avenue.

RAILROAD OFFICIALS TO MAKE GENERAL INSPECTION

R. L. O'Donnell, general superintendent of the Western Pennsylvania division of the Pennsylvania Railroad, accompanied by the superintendents of the Pittsburg, Monongahela and Conemaugh divisions, division engineers, supervisors and assistant supervisors, will make the annual track inspection of the branches of the three divisions Wednesday and Thursday. A special train of two cars will convey the officials over the branches.

MAY ENJOY CHRISTMAS PROGRAM; TOYS HERE

California Could Fight

Two Companies Might be Made up From Men Eligible For Military Duty

Assessor James Wilson of California has completed a list of names of California citizens between the ages of 21 and 45 who are eligible for military duty. The list numbers about 280, which is sufficient to place two companies on a war footing. This includes only those who live within the borough lines, and as many more eligible living in the built up section just outside the lines could probably be secured.

However the list is interesting only as a possibility, for Uncle Sam appears to be keeping his fingers free of the European embroilment, and an invasion of the United States by any European nation is hardly expected this winter.

WILL PUT END TO LOAFING

Burgess Woodward Delivers Himself of Few Rules Concerning Conduct

WILL IMPOSE FINES

"We are going to break up this thing of loafing. Every man convicted of loafing from this time forth will be subjected to a heavy fine. Upon their refusal to pay their fine to jail at Washington they go. That class of men which works only to get money for liquor will be dealt with severely."

This was the warning which Burgess S. L. Woodward sounded this morning to a trio brought before him on charges of disorderly conduct and drunkenness. Harry Miller or North Charleroi answered when called to the bar of justice that he had no occupation. Edward Gillespie a friend of Miller's was before Burgess Woodward also, and each of the two was fined \$3 and costs for disorderly conduct. In default of payment they will go to jail for 60 days.

Dave Fritz, of Belle Vernon, who walked away several days ago when put to work by the police was apprehended Monday. Burgess Woodward fined him \$1 and costs. He will have to undergo imprisonment in the county jail for 60 days if the money is not forthcoming.

COMEDY OF TOYS TO BE PRESENTED FOR CHURCH

"Bibi" a comedy of toys, will be produced in the near future by local talent. The story is told in three acts and pictures the amazing sayings and doings of shop full of dolls and toys that come to life. What they say and do through one eventful night forms a most original and interesting story. The affair will be for Christ Lutheran church.

German Shipments Received in Spite of War Abroad

NATURAL PORTS HELP

Cargo Made up, It is Said, at Points Not Bothered by Big Scrap

Santa Claus and his assistants may start preparations for the usual kind of Christmas in the United States, for despite the war in Europe, there will be Christmas toys and dolls. The first consignment of the "made in Germany" variety has reached this country and a part has been shipped Charleroi.

When war was declared involving practically the whole of Europe, it was immediately announced that there would be no toys or dolls from Germany, which was the biggest toy producing country in the world. Large houses in America which had immense orders placed made things hum. There would not be enough of a supply locally.

The German toys and dolls were already manufactured, according to the news which has filtered out, and the only question was that pertaining to shipment. It is supposed they were shipped to some neutral port from where cargoes were made up for the United States trade.

So far as is known the firm of Kirk and Clark is the only one in Charleroi that has received any of the German make of dolls. They came from the biggest toy and doll producing centers in the world, Thuringen and Sonnenburg.

RAILWAYS COMPANY TO INSTALL PHONE SYSTEM

The Pittsburg Railways company is installing a new telephone system along its Washington-Pittsburg line. It is a private line to be used exclusively for dispatching cars. The system does not abolish or interfere with the present light signal system at each switch. The line will run direct to the dispatcher's office and there will be no one else on the line. At present there is a telephone system along the road, but it is connected up with sub stations and other places. There are being installed iron telephone boxes at switches and at points between switches. This phone system will permit word to be sent at once to the dispatcher's office in case of accident, break down or other mishap that requires prompt attention from the dispatcher. The line is not yet in use, but will be within a few days.

JOHN PICKLOSKY IS RECOVERING FROM FALL

John Picklosky, who fell down the stack at the water pump station last Tuesday morning, is said to be recovering at the Charleroi-Monessen hospital. His left ankle was badly injured, but it is believed that it will be alright in a short time.

Here's an investment that will yield excellent returns in steady increasing value and in the pleasure of possession. Our diamonds. The purity, perfect cutting and superb excellence of our stock of set and unset stones appeals most attractively to an expert buyer. This season instead of buying some perishable article, why not invest in one of our stones. Both phones.

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Ho, Boys!
Want to save Half-a-Dollar?

MIGHT'S BOOK STORE

DIAMONDS



John B. Schafer

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POSTURE.

"As the twig is bent, the tree's in-
dured."

Few people appreciate the value of
correct posture. Not alone does it
have a decided effect upon our
body health but an equal if not a
greater bearing upon our mental at-
titude. When a man is down and
out we plead with him to "brace up."

It is almost impossible to associate
incompetency and weakness with a
firm upright carriage.

Resolution seems to be the natural accompa-
niment of an erect well poised physique.

Not alone for its effect upon our-
selves but for the impression which
it makes upon our fellows we should
endeavor to cultivate an upright
bearing, says Samuel G. Dixon, state
commissioner of health.

If you slouch at your work you
will incapacitate yourself. A proper
position sitting as well as standing or
walking is required to insure the
maximum use of body and brain. A
depressed head and shoulders means
a contraction of the chest and a cor-
responding inability to expand the
lungs to their full extent. Any less-
ening of our maximum breathing
capacity is harmful.

This position if persisted in may al-
so interfere with the heart action. It
is particularly important for grow-
ing children, especially for those of
school age to acquire a proper pos-
ture.

Considerable attention has been
given to the seating of pupils but
until every backless bench has been
removed from our school rooms and
every child is given a properly design-
ed seat which will permit the feet to
rest on the floor, and a desk of prop-
er height, we will not have begun to
do the necessary work in this direc-
tion.

The acquirement of a graceful up-
right carriage by both boys and girls
is an acquisition whose value both
in the social and business world can
scarcely be over-estimated. The man
or woman who has fallen into care-
less habits in this respect will find
their efforts to correct them well re-
warded.

No, violent gymnastics are neces-
sary. A few simple exercises and a
little determination can accomplish
much toward making proper posture
a permanent good habit which will
benefit us physically and mentally.

A WORD WITH THE VOTERS.

In his message to the 57th Con-
gress Col. Roosevelt, then President
of the United States, said:

Our experiences in the past has
been shown that sweeping revisions
of tariff are apt to produce condi-
tions closely approaching panic in
the business world.

Thomas B. Reed, when speaker of
the lower house of Congress, gave
to the tariff tinkers of the world this
ominous warning:

We ought to let the tariff alone; we
ought to defend it against all com-
ers for the good of the nation. We
are doing more than well and need not

Good Spirits

can only be enjoyed by those whose
digestive organs work naturally and
regularly. The best corrective and
preventive yet discovered for irregu-
lar or faulty action of stomach, liver or
bowels, is known the world over to be

BEECHAM'S PILLS

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hunt for disaster. That will come
in due time.

And to the everlasting regret of
every wage-payer and wage-earner in
this land there came the tariff tick-
ing and the disaster "in due time,"
just as Speaker Reed feared.

The greatest prosperity this coun-
try ever enjoyed was vouchsafed to
its people during the administration
of former President William H. Taft.
Work was abundant at the best
wages ever paid in this country.
Every form of business boomed, and
labor enjoyed its full share of the
excellent prosperity. There was no
compulsory idleness. There were no
soup houses and no suffering for the
plain necessities of life among those
willing to work.

But "the sweeping revision of the
tariff," came and just as Col. Roose-
velt predicted, conditions came that
closely approached panic in the busi-
ness world.

The voters of Pennsylvania owe it
to themselves and owe it to their de-
pendents to vote against the Demo-
cratic free trade party and its candi-
dates. Experience has been a severe
teacher for the voters in Pennsylvania.
The existing conditions can be re-
lieved only by restoring to power
in the state and the nation the Repub-
lican party with its policies of pro-
tection and consequent prosperity.

Republican success in Pennsylva-
nia this fall means Republican suc-
cess in the nation at the next Pres-
idential election.

ELECTRIC SPARKS

The so-called Democratic horn of
plenty has been altered into a come-
across war tax vehicle.

Two wrongs do not make a right
but if you get enough for your
wrongs, eventually you can't con-
vince the people that you are right.

They have lots of Sherman in the
European war, but one thing they
will miss terribly will be Sheridan's
ride.

A Washington lecturer months ago
said there would be a terrible war
in Europe. Interest is not centered
in him so much as in how he knew.

The man who claims himself to be
of that classification "little lower than
the angels" is like as not to have it
proven to him by a woman that he is
a prevaricator.

Candidates are so positive the
people need them that they are will-
ing to send out free advertising mat-
ter to the newspapers descriptive of
their own virtues. That's patriotism.

A Big Difference.
You call a man a humorist
And proudly he will smile.
But give your words a tiny twist
And you arouse his bile.

For language is a funny thing
And alters at a stroke
And if you want to leave a sting
Just call a man a joke.

Pittsburgh Post

PICKED UP IN PASSING

It is nothing to write college
dramas, providing you have the rules
for guidance in slapping the affairs

Monongahela Lodge of Elks on
Thursday October 20. Here is the
last paragraph of the invitation:
"Now ya just cum fur we el be lukin
fer you. Al Spences Peerlus orches-
tra will be thare an ya kno Al. and if
yu kum and we're expectin you, we
yu just bet yull have the dandgest
lot of fun ya ever seen."

The "fellers who have the boss-
in of the hole shebang" are "Yugene
Watchus" Seaman, "Ezri Elizabeth"
Larimer, "Maniler Spindle" Van
Voorhis, "Amzi Bobus" Colvin,
"Printerzink" Flint, "Ezekial Brick-
yard" Simpson, "Antioch Stacker"
Hayden, "Razelen" Alien, "Hiram
(Hocheder Kaiser)" Herpus and
"Ebenezer Washington" Cooper.

6—All college men address each
other as "old hoss."

7—College men never study, but
spend their time in tossing repartee
back and forth.

8—All college rooms are adorned
with pennants.

9—All college men call their fathers
"Pater" and speak of the "honor of the
dear old school" in a husky voice."

In a certain paper of ancient date
was contained the following announce-

ment of marriage notice publication:

"All notices of marriages where no
bride cake is sent, will be set up in
small type and poked in some out-
landish corner of the paper. Where
a handsome piece of cake is sent, it
will be placed conspicuously in large
letters, but when gloves or other bride
favors are added, a piece of illustra-
tive poetry will be given in addition.
When, however, the Editor attends the
ceremony in propria persona and
kisses the bride, it will have a special
notice—very large type—and the
most appropriate poetry that can be
begged, borrowed, stolen or coined
from the brain editor."

Notice.

Bids will be received by the Fallow-
field township school board for moving
the Rodgers school house from its
present location to a plot of ground
about 300 feet from the present site.
Plans and specifications can be seen
at the Bank of Charleroi. All bids
must be in by Saturday, October 31,
when the board meets at the Bank of
Charleroi. A certified check in the
amount of \$100 must accompany each
bid. The board reserves the right to
reject any or all bids. By order of
the Board.

Henry E. Rider, Pres.
P. O. Speers, Pa.
R. D. I.

Wesley Young, Secy.
Monongahela, Pa.
R. D. C. 0-20-24-23

Mt. CLEMENS

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water is the smell. Chicago people
reaching this place after dark feel
perfectly at home, for they imagine
themselves back in the stockyards
district, only the Mount Clemens odor
is rather more pronounced.

They say that this water was dis-
covered by a horse. Away back in the
Civil war days some men were boring
a deep well for salt along the banks
of the Clinton river and had impressed
into their services an ancient
beast, by courtesy called a horse.
This antiquated specimen had ring-
bones and spavins and heaves and all
the other things that only a horse
knows how to have. Day after day
he went limping and groaning around
the circle dragging the sweep after
him, and it was doubtful whether he
would last to see the finish of the
job. In pumping the well some of
the strong bribe fell over his back
and his feet and legs were well soak-
ed in the mud.

When the well was finished the
horse got better. His lameness had
left him and his youth seemed to be
renewed. He was used for a time as
a roadster and was faster than any
other horse in these parts. Finally
he was trained for the race track and
took all the speed prizes at the coun-
try fairs for miles around. Of
course, it was the water that cured
him.

They say that 30,000 people come
here every year to soak their soins
in this water. I do not know how
nearly correct these figures may be,
but I notice that "taking in the
stranger" seems to be the chief occu-
pation.

Having plenty of time while here
we stroll about the town and talk
with other visitors, or spend a few
hours in Detroit. We sit in the hotels
and talk and talk, but the most im-
portant topic in the whole world is
how we feel since our last bath.

Aldo N. Fanoni.
Mount Clemens, Mich. Oct. 19, 1914

UNIQUE INVITATIONS FOR ELKS' BARN DANCE

Unique invitations have been is-
sued for a barn dance that will be
held by the social committee of the
Monongahela Lodge of Elks on

Thursday October 20. Here is the
last paragraph of the invitation:
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fer you. Al Spences Peerlus orches-
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was contained the following announce-

LOCAL WOMEN TO COLLECT WAR FUND

The following women have volun-
teered to act as a committee to col-
lect clothing and shoes to be shipped
to the victims of war: Mrs. E. Dawson,
Mrs. George Micht, Mrs. Ange-Monier,
Mrs. P. Bernard, Mrs. L. Goaziou, Mrs. Fay and Mrs. J. De-

rez.

It is to be hoped that all who can
will help them succeed in their hu-
manitarian work and alleviate to some
degree the suffering that will be gen-
eral in Europe this winter.

Growth of Germany.

A century ago there was no German
empire—only a number of German
states whose aggregate wealth and
income were probably less than those of
France. Now united Germany is
estimated to possess an income of
nearly \$10,000,000,000 and accumulat-
ed wealth of about \$30,000,000,000.
During the century Germany's popula-
tion has grown from 24,000,000 to
more than 67,000,000, or 180 per cent.

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Opens Sept. 2nd
Closes Oct. 24th
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Afternoons and Evenings
3,600 Free Seats

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CREATORE AND HIS BAND

Sept. 28th to Oct. 7th
WALTER DANROSH AND THE
NEW YORK SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA

Oct. 8th to Oct. 17th
VICTOR HERBERT ORCHESTRA

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person to whom you can take the
trouble, fully interesting a medicine
which has brought about complete re-
covery in a number of very serious cases?

To Eckman's Alternative, a remedy for
Throat and Lung Troubles, has been
given the collective credit of restoring health
to a large number of cases. Read this:

522 Girard Ave., Phila., Pa.

"Gentlemen: In the winter of 1903 I
had an attack of Grippe, followed by a
bad cold, which turned into a bad case of
Lung trouble. In the winter of 1904 I had cough, night
sweats, fever and raised quantities of
awful looking stuff and later I had many
hemorrhages; at one time three in three
months. I had a doctor and three doc-
tors, but none could keep me down. Three physicians treated me. I was or-
dered to the mountains, but did not go
as recommended by a friend. After taking small doses
of the medicine I had a great improvement
in a short time. I had the medicine night and day for weeks
from the first I gained strength and
weight and appetite. I never had another
hemorrhage and my cough gradually lessened
until entirely gone. I am perfectly well."

(Signed) ANNIE F. LOUGHREAN.

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Yoke skirts in pleated bottoms and plain bottoms, trimmed with buttons finish off these suits.

There are several models of these suits the beauty of which the accompanying illustration brings out.

All models of poplins

\$25.00

BERRYMAN'S



REWARD

BEALLSVILLE

A \$5 reward will be paid for information leading to the arrest and conviction of any person or persons breaking into the Charleroi Bathing Beach bathhouses. O-9-12-16-19

MISS BRADEN

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Charleroi phone 253C

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Claybaugh-Milliken

WALK-OVER BOOT SHOP

419 McKean Ave., Charleroi

mer W. Hill, left scene supporter. Abram M. Hibbs was elected trustee for the ensuing 18 months. Samuel C. Dray has been elected representative to the grand lodge at Stroudsburg; Samuel T. Coyle, representative to the Ben Avon Home for Orphans, at Avalon, Pittsburgh. Following the installation ceremonies a chicken and oyster supper was served by the local lodge. A number of visitors were present.

Rally of Sunday School

Sunday morning it was decided by the Sunday school of the Beallsville Methodist Episcopal church to hold a special rally service, Sunday, November 1. Superintendent D. Luther Eisiminger appointed Carl A. Sargent, assistant superintendent; Mrs. C. H. Horn and Don P. Hawkins, teachers as a committee to get programs, and make arrangements for the rally.

Forfeited Game

Saturday afternoon, about 3 o'clock or just at the time when the Beallsville Collegians football team was ready to leave for Ellsworth, to play the football team of that place, a telephone message was received by Captain Vance Hickman, of the Collegians to the effect that the Ellsworth team had decided not to play. As a result the score stands 1 to 0. Next Saturday afternoon at Beallsville, the Collegians will battle with the B. A. C. team of Washington. Captain Vance Hickman, a player of the Collegians, who was injured some time ago during a practice, is getting along well, and may be able to take part in Saturday's fray.

Thieves Make Haul

Some thief or thieves have made a rather strange haul from an engine belonging to the state Highway department, which has been at Beallsville, in connection with the work on the Beallsville-West Pike Run improved road. Parts of the engine to the value of about \$25 have been stolen.

A. W. Powers of Pittsburg, has returned home, after spending some time at Beallsville, with headquarters at the National hotel. Some time was also spent at Scenery Hill.

J. L. Dungan has returned to Morgantown, after spending some time at Beallsville attending to matters of business.

S. W. Hill of near Beallsville, is home from a visit to friends at Charleroi.

BENTLEYVILLE

Motorcycle Gone

James Lutz a farming hand of near town, it is said has left with a new motorcycle belonging to Peter Lash, a miner of this place. The motorcycle is a blue Emblem, twin cylinder. Lutz borrowed the machine from the owner some time ago for a short ride. The owner refrained from reporting the matter lest the man had good reasons for the extension of a few hours into several days. Nothing has been learned as yet concerning the departure or the manner of departure. Chief Silliman is in possession of the borrower's description and is making an effort to land the man indirectly.

Successful Entertainment

Monday evening the most successful entertainment ever afforded in Bentleyville took place in the E. & M. bank hall. The entertainment was the initial one of a course conducted under the auspices of Prof. McCormick and the Bentleyville high school. Dr. Frederick Vining Fisher was the entertainer. Dr. Fisher came equipped with a large dissolving stereopticon and both moving and slide pictures. The Panama-Pacific Exposition was the theme of the entertainment. The crowd attending was fairly large. First Dr. Fisher showed and explained moving pictures of the excavating of the great canal. In these the audience had before them the giant steam cranes tearing the earth, mighty blasts tearing mountains to shreds and the magnificent Gatun locks. Then the speaker explained several hundreds of picture slides. The picture slides portrayed the most beautiful spots one passes in going to California by both the Santa Fe and the Northern routes. The bad lands in Montana were projected with all their badness; Indian tribes of the Dakotas feathered treaded before their eyes; the great farming district of the northwest was shown in a realistic fashion and the apple orchards of Washington and Oregon loomed in the remote Bentleyville. The pictures were well colored, making the effect the best possible. The scenes of the coming exposition were shown. The golden

Highway Department Maintains It Spent All Money Legally

Refutation of the charges of misappropriations amounting to \$295,000. This money is designated for management made against the state highway department are contained salaries, automobile license tags and figures in the annual report of the Department for the year from June 1, 1913 to June 1, 1914, which report is now in Governor Tener's hands.

The assertion that sixty-eight cents

out of every dollar expended by the state highway department goes toward overhead charges is riddled by the logical exposition of the truth told by the figures. These facts are made clear in the report, which asserts among other things that it is not true that \$14,905,541.33 has been "turned over" to State Highway Commissioner Bigelow; that it is not true that the legislature has appropriated that amount of money for the direct use of the department and that it is not true that \$9,344,408.65 has been expended in overhead charges.

"With regard to the amount ap-

propriated," the highway department maintains, "the truth is that \$12,657,352.90 is the sum total of all funds which the legislature has set aside for the direct use of the present state highway department. Out of this amount \$2,553,270.14 was in the State treasury unexpended on June 1, 1914. This makes the amount actually ex-pended \$10,104,082.76 instead of \$14,905,541.33."

"It is a mistake to assume that even this \$10,104,082.76 has been handed over to the state highway department to expend as it saw fit. On the contrary the legislature specifically designated the various purposes for which the great bulk of this money was to be used and the department had no authority to spend these funds except in the manner and for the purposes laid down by the Legislature and has not attempted to do so."

"For example, out of the \$10,104,082.76 of appropriations expended, the legislatures required that \$1,900,000 could be used solely for state-aid

the expenditure of which must be initiated by the counties, townships and boroughs and that \$2,000,000 could be expended only for maintenance and for no other purposes. There were various other restrictions as to how the Department was to be permitted to use the money."

"As a matter of fact only \$5,700,000 was appropriated by the legisla-tures for the actual work of construction of state highways."

"Another important fact is that, in addition to the \$12,657,352.90 mentioned above, there is the sum of \$2,248,188.43 which must be considered solely as a fund over which the department could exercise no discretion other than that of trustee. This sum included the township bonus funds set aside by the legislature of 1911 and 1913 and the turnpike pur-chase fund."

"There is also to be taken into account the automobile division expense

gate was viewed from the water at many different points. The unique lighting system of the grounds at night was shown and fully explained. At a late hour the last picture was projected, even then the audience would have sacrificed another hour or two of sleep to see more pictures.

Kinder Infant

Today occurred the burial of the infant of Mr. and Mrs. William Kinder of this place. The burial took place in the Scenery Hill cemetery.

Personals

Earle Foster, of near No. 8 was a social caller in town last evening.

John Booth, a student of W. & J. attended the Panama-Pacific lecture here last evening.

Calvin McClain has left for Donora where he will make his home in the future. Mr. McClain has accepted a position as watchman in the P. & L. E.

Mr. and Mrs. George Watson have returned home after spending some time visiting Mr. Watson's people near Vanceville.

Constable Elmer Jericho of Monongahela, was a business caller in town.

Margaret Bender of Rices Landing was a social caller in town yesterday.

Mrs. Emma Reed and Mrs. Ella Coatesworth of California, were callers at the Kinder home.

CHARLEROI HIGH TO

PLAY VANDERGRIFT

With a crippled squad Charleroi high school will go to Vandergrift Saturday to play the Vandergrift high school eleven. Capt. Speers and Lowstuter of the backfield will both be out because of injuries and probably Pierot will be unable to fill his regular position at right end. However a strong lineup will be presented, with Stahlman, Pfleghardt or R. Carson on the halves, Carson, who this year promises to be a sensation at fullback, Booth at quarter; Scott, Ramsey and Hickey alternating on the ends, Brown at center; Lutes and Ryland at guards and Delvau, Richey and Hepler alternating at tackle.

The second game of the season at home will be played on Saturday, Oct. 31, with Donora high school. In order will follow games with Vandergrift high here, West Newton high, Washington high and the Thanksgiving game with Monongahela high school at Monongahela.

Sunday School Folk Visitors.
Members of a young men's Sunday School class of the First Presbyterian Sunday school of Waynesburg, with F. W. Downey in charge were visitors in Charleroi today, having enjoyed a boat excursion from Rices Landing.